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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>KENYA</u>
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Kenya Bureau of Standards
3.	Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable): Milk and milk products (ICS code(s): 67.100)
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[X] All trading partners
	[] Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: DARS 1095:2023, Evaporated Milks — Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 13
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/KEN/24 00491 00 e.pdf
6.	Description of content: This African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for evaporated milks, intended for direct consumption, or further processing.
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
	[] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):
	[] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
	[] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
	[X] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[]Yes []No
	If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
	 AOAC 999.10, Lead, Cadmium, Zinc, Copper and Iron in foods. Atomic absorption spectrophotometry after microwave digestion ARS 53, General Principles of Food Hygiene – Code of practice ARS 56, Pre-packaged Foods – Labelling

- 4. ARS WD-ARS XXX, Glossary of Dairy Terms
- 5. CXS 192, General Standard for Food Additives
- 6. CXS 193, General Standard for Contaminants and Toxins in Food and Feed
- 7. CXS 234, Recommended methods of analysis and sampling
- 8. ISO 4832, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of coliforms Colony-count technique
- ISO 4833-1, Microbiology of the food chain-Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms
- 10. Part 1: Colony count at 30 °C by the pour plate technique
- 11. ISO 6579-1 Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection, enumeration and serotyping of Salmonella Part 1: Detection of *Salmonella* spp.
- 12. ISO 7251 Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of presumptive *Escherichia coli* Most probable number technique
- 13. ISO 19020 Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the immunoenzymatic detection of staphylococcal enterotoxins in foodstuffs
- 14. ISO 11290-1, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of Listeria monocytogenes and of *Listeria* spp. Part 1: Detection method
- 15. ISO 21528-2, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae: Part 2: Colony-count technique
- **10.** Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 30 June 2024

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 30 June 2024

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
 - [X] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 15 March 2024

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